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Chairman, Federal Communications Commission

From Al Sawyer, President
Martha Drake, Immediate Past President
North Carolina Consumers Council

Subject: ET Docket No. 93-7

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FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

We are writing to urge you to strictly enforce the provision in the 1992 Cable Act that requires that all cable systems be required to adopt national renewable compatibility standards so that cable subscribers can connect their own equipment to their local cable systems and have all equipment features fully functional. We also feel that necessary converter boxes and controls should be available competitively in the marketplace.

We also hope the Commission will require cable companies to provide compatible interface with consumers TV's and VCRs.

We trust we can depend on you to put some real teeth in this law..

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Al Sawyer', is written over the typed name.